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SUBJECT: PRESS SEES SECRETARY DISCUSSING KOREA TREATY WITH CHOU

1. IN FRONT PAGE ARTICLES NOVEMBER 7 AND 8, ROK PRESS HAS CARRIED HAPDONG STORY FROM WASHINGTON PREDICTING THAT SECRETARY AND CHOU EN LAI WILL DISCUSS A PEACE TREATY BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA DURING SECRETARY'S VISIT TO PEKING.

2. ARTICLES SAY THAT "WELL QUALIFIED DIPLOMATIC OBSERVERS" IN WASHINGTON NOTED THAT THE SECRETARY AND CHOU COULD BE EXPECTED TO EXPLORE ALTERNATIVES TO THE KOREAN ARMISTICE AGREEMENT, ALTHOUGH TALKS IN PEKING WOULD NOT GO BEYOND AN EXCHANGE OF VIEWS. PRESS CITED UNDERSECRETARY PORTER'S OCTOBER 2 COMMENT TO ROK-US ECONOMIC COUNCIL THAT US IS READY TO SEEK AN ALTERNATIVE TO THE ARMISTICE, A REMARK WHICH HAD ALSO RECEIVED WIDE NOTICE IN ROK NEWSPAPERS.

3. HAPDONG STORY IS PROBABLY INEVITABLY SPECULATION GIVEN FACT OF SECRETARY'S VISIT TO PEKING. WE ASSUME THE
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SOURCE, IF ANY, WAS ROK EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON.

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